

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Daniel R. Caldwell, et al.

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Dung V. Nguyen

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For:

CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING SLURRY PUMP MONITORING SYSTEM AND

METHOD

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

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Dear Sir:

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed March 25, 2005, finally rejecting Claims 1-20.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.	 An extension of time to respond to the final rejection		
		was granted on	
		is requested for month.	

- 2. X A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- 3. X Fee \$500.00:

____ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

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